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Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority of Section 9 of the Native Latex Commercialization and Economic Development Act of 1978, Pub. L. 95–592 (7 U.S.C. 178(g)), SEA will award project grants for research in the following area which is further described in Appendix I.

Guayule (Native Latex) Research.....$630,500

Proposals submitted in response to this notice will be evaluated in competition with proposals from other eligible institutions. Eligible institutions submitting research proposals selected by SEA utilizing recommendations of Peer Panels will be awarded grants from funds appropriated for Fiscal Year FY 1980 (Oct. 1, 1979 to Sept. 30, 1980) for projects planned to cover periods of 1 to 4 years.

The grant shall become effective and shall constitute an obligation of Federal funds in the amount and for the purposes stated in the grant agreement, at the time of execution of the grant agreement by the SEA grant award official.

When an original grant award includes a provision for more than one budget period within the project period, SEA presumes that continuation grants for the subsequent budget periods will be awarded, subject to availability of funds and SEA priorities, as determined by the Director, if the grantee:

(1) Has demonstrated satisfactory performance during all previous budget periods; and

(2) Submits no later than 90 days prior to the end of the budget period a continuation application which includes a detailed progress report; a financial statement for the current budget period, including an estimate of the amount of unspent, uncommitted funds which will be carried over beyond the term of the prior grant; a budget for the new budget period; an updated work plan revised to account for actual progress accomplished during the current budget period; and any other reports as may be required by the grant agreement.

Review of continuation applications will be conducted expeditiously. Generally, no extramural review will be required.

Costs incurred after the end of the previous budget period may be allowed under the continuation grant provided that no longer than 30 days has elapsed between the end of the budget period and the execution of the continuation grant agreement.

Neither the approval of a project nor the award of any grant shall commit or obligate the United States to award any continuation grant or enter into any grant amendment, including grant increases to cover cost overruns, with respect to any approved project or portion thereof.

Application Procedures

1. Eligible Institutions

Grants under Section 9 of Pub. L. 95–592, may be made to States, education institutions, scientific organizations, and Indian tribes as defined in Pub. L. 93–638 (25 U.S.C. 450).

2. Cooperation with Mexico

The U.S. and Mexico entered an agreement dated February 16, 1979 providing for cooperation in native latex research. Grant recipients whose projects appear to be mutually beneficial to the U.S. and Mexico may be requested to participate in the cooperative program. Upon the mutual agreement of SEA and the recipients concerned, appropriate changes to the grant instrument will be negotiated in order to provide for the following:

Cooperation with Mexican scientists designated, jointly, by the National Council on Science and Technology of Mexico (CONACYT) and SEA in the conduct of research.

Sharing of any plant materials collected or produced from plant breeding experiments in accordance with agreements reached with Mexico under the U.S.-Mexico Scientific and Technological Agreement.

Attendance at one joint U.S.-Mexico international meeting per year, funds for which will be budgeted in the project if it is selected for cooperation.

Making available one or more research positions funded by the project to qualified visiting scientists from Mexico for periods of up to one year consistent with employment requirements of the sponsoring institution or organization.

Project proposals should be submitted, initially, without regard to the possibility of the project being included in the cooperative program with Mexico. If the project is selected for cooperation, appropriate adjustments will be made in the budget by SEA Officials in consultation with the Recipient Institution.

3. Proposal Submission

Submit nine copies of each proposal to: Grants Administrative Management Office, Attention: Native Latex Grants Program, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Suite 103, Rosslyn Commonwealth Building, 1300 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22209.

A. To be considered for award, proposals must be prepared in the format prescribed in Appendix II and must be received in the SEA Grants Administrative Management Office by the close of business on May 19, 1980. Proposals should not exceed 10 pages (single spaced) excluding the title page, budget, listing of literature citations and vitae appendices. When proposals exceed 10 pages in total, only the first 10 pages, excluding the title page, budget, listing of literature citations and vitae appendices, will be evaluated.

B. Title Page. Format—Appendix III is the format for the title page. An original title page with all relevant signatures must be included with the original proposal. All copies of the proposal should also have a title page.

C. Proposal source Document. Appendix IV is the format for the Proposal Source Document. Only one copy of this document is required to be submitted. This should be a separate document and not attached to the research proposal. The Proposal Source Document provides the SEA Grants Administrative Management Office staff with data for compiling information requested by Government agencies, the Congress, and the grantee community. The items are self-explanatory for the most part.

Please note the following: (a) the Performing Organization is the Organization of the Principal Investigator where the work will be done, and it may be the same or different from the organization which receives the grant; and (b) the Authorized Organizational Representative should be the same as the one given on the Title Page.

D. Special Consideration, Assurance, Certification, and Acceptance (Appendix V). Research Involving Special Consideration. Part I of Appendix V summarizes a number of research situations which require special information and supporting documentation before funding can be approved for the project. If special information or supporting documentation is involved, the Proposal Source Document should so indicate. Since some types of research targeted for SEA support have a high probability of involving either recombinant deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) or human subjects, special instructions follow:

Recombinant DNA. Principal Investigators and endorsing performing organization officials must comply with the guidelines of the National Institutes of Health (See NIH "Guidelines for Research Involving Recombinant DNA Molecules" (43 FR 60108–60131) and subsequent revisions). A Memorandum of Understanding, Agreement, and approval by the Institutional Biosafety

Committee (IBC) must be provided before a grant can be awarded.

Human Subjects. Safeguarding the rights and welfare of human subjects used in research supported by SEA grants is the responsibility of the performing organization. The informed consent of the human subject is a vital element in this process. Guidance is contained in Public Law 93-348, as implemented by Part 46, Subtitle A of Title 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations, as amended (45 CFR Part 46).

If the project involves human subjects at risk, the grantee must furnish SEA with a statement that the research plan has been reviewed and approved by the appropriate Institutional Review Board at the grantee organization that the grantee is in compliance with Department of Health, Education, and Welfare (DHEW) policies, as amended, regarding the use of human subjects.

E. If your institution has not previously submitted a proposal to the Grants Administrative Management Office, you must furnish the organizational information and assurances contained in Part II of Appendix V with your proposal. This information should be submitted with your proposal.

4. Selection of Proposals for Funding

A. Selection Criteria. A panel of peer scientists will evaluate the proposals utilizing selection criteria listed in Appendix VI. The peer panel, when appropriate, can recommend a reduced level of funding for a proposal or that the research be confined to certain objectives for proposals under review. Utilizing the recommendations of peer panels, SEA will select the proposals to be funded within the amount available for each area of specific inquiry.

B. When the peer panel recommends that the amount of award be reduced below the amount proposed for the proposal or where the panel recommends that only research dealing with selected objectives be funded, these changes will be discussed with the submitting institution. If the institution elects not to make these changes as a condition of the award, the proposal will be dropped from the list of proposals to be funded for a specific area of inquiry and another proposal selected from those recommended by the peer panel will be funded.

After the grants are awarded, one copy of unfunded proposals will be retained on file for 5 years, the remaining copies will be destroyed. A copy of the summary evaluation made by the peer panel will be provided for unfunded proposal.

5. Points of Contact

For information concerning Administrative guidelines for the awarding of grants, contact the SEA Grants Administrative Management Office, Arlington, Virginia. Telephone number: (703) 235-2680.

For information concerning Program guidelines for special areas of inquiry, contact Edward C. Miller, Assistant Deputy Director, Cooperative Research, Science and Education Administration, Washington, D.C. Telephone number: (202) 447-6050.

6. Budget and Reporting Requirements

The following items apply only to those proposals that are selected for funding:

A. the grant will be awarded on the basis of all financial support, from any source, that is shown in the proposal budget (Appendix VII).

B. Annual financial reports (Standard Form 269) will be required.

C. An annual progress report not to exceed 5 pages, will be required in addition to a shorter summary for insertion into a computerized research information service. Annual reports will be organized around the objective and research timetable as specified in the project proposal.

D. A comprehensive (performance and financial) final report must be submitted to SEA within 90 days after the termination date of the grant.

E. For continuation grants the above listed reports must be submitted no later than 90 days prior to the end of the budget period. This includes a detailed progress report, a financial statement for the current budget period, including an estimate of the amount of unspent, uncommitted funds which will be carried over beyond the term of the prior grant, a budget for the new budget period, and updated work plan revised to account for actual progress accomplished during the current budget period, and any other reports as may be required by the grant agreement.

7. Terms and Conditions

A. The general provisions for grants and cooperative agreements (SEA Form 638, May 1979) applies to these grants with the exception of Clause 20, Inventions and Patents. Pursuant to Section 12 of Pub. L. 95-592, title to and licensing of inventions shall be governed by the provisions of Sections 9 and 10 of the Federal Non-Nuclear Energy Research and Development Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5908-9). A copy is available upon request to the SEA Grants Administrative Management Officer.

B. An approved final Impact Analysis Statement is available from the: Grants Administrative Management Office, Science and Education Administration, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Suite 103, Rosslyn Commonwealth Building, 1300 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22209.

The Notice has not been determined significant under USDA criteria implementing Executive Order 12044.

It has been determined that, because of the need to implement this program so that research relating to plant production can be initiated in the Spring of 1980, compliance with the Notice and public procedure provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553 is impracticable and contrary to the public interest, and in accordance with E.O. 12044, that it is not possible to publish Notice in proposed form and allow 60 days for public comment.

Done at Washington, D.C., this day 27th of March.

Anson R. Bertrand,

Director, Science and Education.

Appendix I—Subject Matter Guidelines for Fiscal Year 1980 Grants Under Section 9 of Public Law 95-592; Specific Areas of Inquiry

1.0 Guayule (Native Latex) ($630,500 have been made available for fiscal year 1980 funds). Breeding and selection and agronomics projects, consistent with the listing of high priority research objectives below, on Parthenium Argentatum or related varieties of rubber producing plants will be funded. Grant awards will be limited to a maximum of $75,000 per year for a maximum period of 4 years.

Projects that inquire into the following high priority areas will be funded.

1.1 Breeding and selection including, but not limited to the following objectives (in declining order of priority):

Optimized rubber yields.
Improve disease resistance.
Determine or improve herbicide tolerance.
Improve salt tolerance.
Improve efficiency in water utilization.
Expand the range of drought or cold tolerance.
Improve seed germination or define the cause of dormancy.

1.2 Agronomics practices including, but not limited to the following objectives (of equal priority):

Determine optimum transplanting methods.
Determine optimum seeding methods.
Determine optimum irrigation methods and water requirements.
Identification and control of weeds.
Identification and control of insect pests.
Identification and control of nematodes and diseases.

Develop pesticide residue data as required for registration.
Define the mycorrhizae function and its importance.
Define the effects of bioregulators.
Seed selection, treatment of seed, and improvement of germination.
Mechanization for direct seeding, transplanting, or seed harvesting.

Multi-disciplinary projects, investigating as broad a range of specific areas of inquiry as can be meaningfully integrated are encouraged.

Appendix II—Format for Research Proposal

1. Title Page (See Appendix III)

A. Title. A brief, clear, specific designation of the subject of the research. The title (80 characters maximum) will be used for the USDA Current Research Information System (CRIS), for information to Congress and for press releases. Therefore, it should not contain highly technical words. Phrases such as "Investigation of" or "Research on" should not be used. Other items of the title page are self-explanatory.

B. Approval Signatures of Appropriate Officials. All proposals from a University, College, or Institution must be signed by an authorized official.

2. Objectives. A clear, concise, complete, and logically arranged statement of the specific aims of the research.

3. Procedures. A statement of the essential working plans and methods to be used in attaining each of the stated objectives. Procedures should correspond to the objectives and follow the same order. Procedures should include items such as: The sampling plan, experimental design, and analyses anticipated. The statement must be time-phased, showing plans, methods, and procedures for each year of the project.

4. Justification. This should describe: (1) The importance of the problem to the needs of the Department of Agriculture and to the States or region, being sure to include estimates of the magnitude of the problem; (2) The importance of starting the work now; and (3) Reasons for the work being performed in your particular institution.

5. Literature Review. A summary of pertinent publications with emphasis on their relationship to the research. Cite important and recent publications from other institutions, as well as your own institution. Citations should be accurate and complete. The listing of Literature citations should be appended to the proposal and are not included in the 10 page limit.

6. Current Research. Describe the relevancy of the proposed research to on-going and as yet unpublished research at your own and at other institutions. This section may be combined with the Literature Review, if convenient to do so.

7. Facilities and Equipment. The location of the work and the facilities and equipment needed and available should be clearly indicated. This section may be combined with Section 3, Procedures, but the combination must clearly show needed and available facilities and equipment.

8. Research Timetable. Show all important research phases as a function of time.

9. Personnel Support. Identify clearly all personnel who will be involved in the research. For each scientist involved include: (1) An estimate of the time commitments necessary; (2) Vitae of the principal investigator, senior associates, and other professional personnel should be provided to assist reviewers in evaluating the competence and experience of the project staff. This section should include curricula vitae of all key persons who will work on the project, whether or not Federal funds are sought for their support. The vitae can also be provided as an Appendix and will not be included in the 10 page limit.

10. Budget. A detailed budget is required for each year of the proposed project. Copies of Appendix VII must be used. Cost sharing for Native Latex grants, Section 9 of Public Law 95–592, will be established in accordance with the guidelines of FMC 73–3 and administered in accordance with OMB Circular A–110, Attachment E, as applicable. Instructions follow for the items to be inserted in the format illustrated in Appendix VII. Use a separate page for each year. Remarks and justification should be included on separate pages following the budget.

A. Salaries and Wages. Salaries of the principal investigator and other personnel associated directly with the research should constitute appropriate direct costs in proportion to their effort devoted to the research. Charges by academic institutions for work performed by faculty members during the summer months or other periods outside the base salary period are to be at a monthly rate not in excess of that which would be applicable under the base salary and to other provisions of Section J.6 to the cost principles for educational institutions (OMB Circular A–21). Grant funds may not be used to augment the total salary or rate of salary of project personnel or to reimburse them for consulting or other time in addition to a regular full-time salary covering the same general period of employment.

The submitting organization may request that senior personnel salary data not be released to persons outside the Government. In this case, the item for senior personnel salaries in the formal proposal may be expressed as a single figure and the work-months represented by that amount omitted. If this option is exercised, however, senior personnel salaries and work-months must be itemized in a separate statement, two copies of which should accompany the proposal. This statement must include all of the information requested in Appendix V for each person involved. The detailed information will not be forwarded to reviewers and will be held privileged to the extent permitted by law.

For research associates and other professional personnel, each position must be listed, with the number of full-time equivalent work-months and rate of pay (hourly, monthly or annually) indicated. For other personnel (graduate students, technical, clerical, etc.) only the total number of persons and total amount of salaries per year in each category are required. Salaries requested must be consistent with the regular practices of the institution.

B. Fringe Benefits. If the usual accounting practices of the performing organization provide that the organizational contributions to employee "benefits" (social security, retirement, etc.) be treated as direct costs, grant funds may be requested to defray such expenses as a direct cost.

C. Total Salaries and Benefits.

D. Nonexpendable Equipment. Nonexpendable equipment is defined as an item of property which has an acquisition cost of $500 or more per unit, an expected service life of 2 years or more, and does not lose its identity when joined or made a part of another piece of equipment. Organizations performing research with the support of a SEA grant are expected to have appropriate facilities, suitably furnished and equipped. Only under very unusual circumstances may grant funds be requested for office equipment and furnishing, air-conditioning, automatic data processing equipment (ADPE), or other "general purpose" equipment which is usable for other than research purposes. This type of equipment requires special justification and arrangement with the Grants Administrative Management Office.

Items of needed scientific equipment or instrumentation should be individually listed by description and estimated cost and adequately justified.

Allowable items ordinarily will be limited to scientific equipment and apparatus which is not already available to conduct the work.

If purchases or lease of expensive, special-purpose equipment having a unit acquisition cost exceeding $10,000 is planned, the proposal must contain a certification that the equipment (a) is essential and not reasonably available or accessible to the proposed project, and (b) will be subject to reasonable inventory controls, maintenance procedures, and organizational policies designed to enhance multiple or shared use on other projects if such use will not interfere with the project for which the equipment is being acquired. Title to any nonexpendable equipment authorized to the procured under a grant will be held by the grantee institutions of higher education or other nonprofit organizations.

E. Material and Supplies. The types of expendable materials and supplies required should be indicated in general terms with estimated costs. Where substantial funds are requested, there should be a more detailed breakdown.

F. Travel. The type and extent of travel and its relationship to the research should be briefly specified. Funds may be requested for field work or for travel to scientific meetings.

Travel in Canada, Puerto Rico, the United States or its possessions is considered domestic travel. All other travel is considered foreign. If foreign travel is planned in connection with the research, the proposal should include relevant information (including countries to be visited) and justification. Travel and subsistence should be in accordance with organization policy.

Irrespective of the organization policy, allowances for airfare will not normally exceed round trip jet economy air accommodations. Persons traveling under Federal grants must travel by U.S. flag air carriers, if available, unless:

The travelers, while enroute has to wait 6 hours or more and no U.S. flag air carrier is available during this period; and

The flight by a U.S. flag air carrier takes 12 or more hours longer than a foreign air carrier.

Air freight must also be under U.S. flag air carriers.

G. Publication Costs. Costs of preparing and publishing the results of research conducted under the grants, including cost of reports, reprints, page charges or other journal costs, and necessary illustrations may be included.

H. Computer (ADPE) Costs. The cost of computer services, including computer based retrieval of scientific and technical information may be requested. A justification based on the established computer service rates at the proposing institution should be provided. Reasonable costs of leasing automatic data processing equipment may be requested, if justified.

I. All Other Direct Costs. Other anticipated direct costs not included above should be itemized. Examples are: space rental at research establishments away from the performing organization, minor alternations, and service charges. Reference books and periodicals may be charged to the grant only if they are related specifically to the research project. Proposed subawards should be disclosed in the proposal so that the grant instrument may contain prior approval, if appropriate. None of the research effort under a SEA grant may be contracted or transferred to another organization without prior Grants Administrative Management Office approval.

Consultant services should be included in this section. Grantees normally are expected to utilize the service of their own staff to the maximum extent in managing and performing the activities supported by grants. Where it is necessary for a grantee to contract for the services of persons who are not its officials or employees, payment shall not exceed the daily equivalent of the current maximum rate paid to a GS–18 (exclusive of indirect cost, travel, per diem, clinical services, vacation, fringe benefits, and supplies.)

If the need for consultant services is anticipated, the proposal narrative should provide appropriate rationale and the Proposal Budget should estimate the amount of funds which may be required for this purpose. To the extent possible, consultant rates should show separate amounts for actual services and each of the components of the rate.

J. Total Direct Costs.

K. Indirect Costs. The indirect cost rate(s) negotiated by the grantee organization with the cognizant Federal negotiating agency cannot be exceeded in computing indirect cost for a research proposal. Determination of the appropriate indirect cost rate(s) is dependent upon a combination of factors including but not limited to physical location of the work. The proposal official responsible for Federal business relations should review this part of the proposal to see that it properly describes any particular factor which may have a bearing upon the indirect cost rate(s) applicable to the project. Normally, the rate in effect on the date the proposal is recommended for award by the SEA-Cooperative Research Program Manager will be used.

If an organization has no established indirect cost rate and wishes to take indirect costs in should consult the Grants Administrative Management Officer, Grants Administrative Management Office, who will establish liaison with the cognizant Federal negotiating agency for developing an acceptable indirect cost rate for the grantee.

L. Total Direct and Indirect Costs (J plus K).

M. Cost Sharing. The institution is encouraged to contribute to the cost of carrying out the proposed research. Cost participation may be accomplished by contributing to any of the cost elements either direct or indirect, provided such costs are allowable in accordance with cost principles applicable to the research agreement. The institution may elect to cost share their allowable negotiated indirect costs. If this option is selected this should be indicated on the proposal budget (Appendix V).

Appendix III—Title Page for Research Proposal; Science and Education Administration

USDA

For Consideration by _____
(Name of Program)

Title _____
(80 characters or less including spaces and punctuation, see instruction)

Proposed amount _____

Proposed Effective date _____

Proposed Duration months _____

Principal Investigator (PI) Name

Address of Principal Investigator:

Name Co-Principal Investigator

Submitting Institution

Address of Submitting Institution:

Name Co-Principal Investigator

If principal or co-principal investigator(s) have participated in previous SEA grants involving similar subject matter, give previous Special Grant No. ——

Make grant to _____
(Legal Name of Institution or Organization to which Grant should be made)

Internal Revenue Service Number _____

Congressional District Number ——

Endorsements:

Principal Investigator

Name _____

Title _____

Phone No. _____

Date _____
Signature _____
Authorized Organizational Representative
Name _____
Title _____
Phone No. _____
Date _____
Signature _____
Other, if required by submitting organization:
Name _____
Title _____
Phone No. _____
Date _____
Signature _____

Appendix IV—Proposal Source Document

Principal Investigator(s) (PI) Names

	First	Middle	Last	
PI #1				
PI #2				
PI #3				

Proposal No. (SEA use)
Program (SEA use)
PI #1 _____
City
PI #1 _____
State 2-letter abbr.
PI #1 _____
ZIP code
PI #1 _____
Department or street address (35 characters)
PI #1 _____
Phone + area code
PI #1 _____
Duration of proposal in months
PI #1 _____
Total requested (Direct and indirect)
PI #1 _____
Institute or subdivision of performing organization (35 characters)
PI #_____
Name of performing organization (35 Characters)

Authorized Organizational Representative

(SEA use)

First name

Middle name

Last name

Phone + area code

Department or Organizational Unit (35 Characters)

City

State (2-letter abbr.)

Zip code

(SEA use)

Date Received (SEA use)

Grantee Organization (35 Characters)

Title of Proposal (maximum 80 Characters)

PROGRAM CODE (Information to be supplied by principal investigator.) Grants Administrative Management Office

A In which area of the Special grants program do you want this proposal considered? Select one program *only*. (Cooperative Research may move it to another area, if appropriate.)

———1.1 Breeding and Selection
———1.2 Agronomic Practice

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B Which of the following best describes the performing organization of the first principal investigator? Check one choice *only*.

1.——USDA/SEA Laboratory
2.——Other Federal Research Laboratory
3.——State Agricultural Experiment Station (SAES)
4.——Land Grant University, 1862
5.——Land Grant University, 1890 or Tuskegee Institute
6.——Public University or College (Non-land grant)
7.——Private University or College
8.——Private Profit Making Organization
9.——Private Non-Profit Organization
10.——State or Local Organization
11.——Indian Tribes

B. Has the first principal investigator completed the most advanced degree within the last 3 years?

1.———Yes 2.———No

C. Will the work in this proposal deal with recombinant DNA or with human subjects?

1.———Netither 2.———DNA
3.———Human Subjects

D. Congressional District of the grantee organization———.

SUPPORT CODE

Has this proposal been sent to another granting agency?

If so, indicate.

.1———None
.2———Other USDA units
.3———NSF
.4———NIH
.5———Others (Describe)

Appendix V

Part I—Special Considerations

Check appropriate statements. Supply additional information when necessary.

———"This project does not involve human subjects."

———"This project involves human subjects. It was approved by the Institutional Review Board on (date) ———, (is scheduled for review by the Institutional Review Board on (date) ———)." See DHEW regulations regarding the use of human subjects, appearing in Title 45, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 46, Subtitle A.

———"This project does not involve recombinant DNA research."

———"This project involves recombinant DNA research. It was approved by the institutional Committee on (date) ———. (Supply appropriate documents as required by NIH "Guidelines for Research Involving Recombinant DNA Molecules" (43 FR 60108–60131 and subsequent revisions.)

Part II—Organizational Information and Assurances

A. *Prospective Grantee Organizational Information*

The following information is to be submitted:

a. Organization Affiliations. Describe relationship of the organization to a parent organization or to subsidiaries or other affiliates. If the organization is a successor in interest to a predecessor or if changes in organization affiliation are anticipated, describe briefly.

b. Statement of Purposes and Powers. Enclose an official or published statement of the major purposes of the organization and certify as required in c below as to the powers which have been granted to it to enter into contractual relationships and/or to accept grants (e.g., articles of incorporation, terms of reference, or by-laws):

1. Chief Executive;
2. Authorized Organizational Representative; and
3. Business Officer.

c. Affiliations of Key Officials. If the organization is other than a college or university or a State or local government, indicate whether or not each official listed in (b) above is affiliated with any Federal, State, or local agency or with any college or university. If so, describe such affiliation.

d. Whether or not the organization currently is a grantee or contractor of any component of the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. (Note: This information will assist in implementing certain interagency procedures for which DHEW is the lead agency.)

e. If other than a college or university or a State or local government, also submit the following:

1. A certified statement of financial conditions (usually by Certified Public Accountant) covering at least the preceding 2 years; and
2. Bank or other references.

B. *Required Certifications*

SEA requires that a prospective grantee organization submit a certification signed by the Chief Executive Officer or authorized organizational representative substantially as follows:

a. I certify that (name of institution or organization) has legal authority to accept grants as evidenced by the attached (describe document), and the requisite policies, procedures, and personnel to ensure stewardship of Federal funds and management of Federally supported projects, specifically including standards for financial management, procurement, and property management, which meet those described in Attachments F, N, and O to OMB Circular A-110. (Note: In the event this is not the case, list exceptions and provide a realistic estimate of when such standards might be met.)

b. Each proposal to the SEA Grants Administrative Management Office will be consistent with the policies and goals of proposed grantee and will be submitted in accordance with its procedures and pursuant to appropriate authority.

c. In the event that a grant is awarded as a result of any such proposal, I agree that proposed grantee organization will:

1. Make available the necessary facilities, equipment, services, and personnel to conduct the project substantially as outlined in the proposal or such modifications thereof as may be mutually agreed.
2. Conduct such project oversight as may be appropriate, manage the Federal funding with probity and prudence, and comply with all the terms and conditions of the grant.

3. Comply with all applicable laws and regulations.

Not Required if Previously Submitted to the SEA Grants Administrative Management Office

Assurance of Compliance With the Department of Agriculture Regulations Under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (As Amended)

Legal name or proposed grantee———

(hereinafter called the "Applicant") HEREBY AGREES THAT it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to the Regulations of the Department of Agriculture, 7 CFR Part 15, Subpart A, issued pursuant thereto, to the end that, in accordance with Title VI of that Act and the regulations, no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Applicant receives Federal financial assistance from the Department of Agriculture; and HEREBY GIVES ASSURANCE THAT it will immediately take any measures necessary to effectuate this agreement.

THIS ASSURANCE is given in consideration of and for the purpose of obtaining any and all Federal grants, loans, contracts, property, discounts or other Federal financial assistance extended after the date hereof to the Applicant by the Department, including installment payments after such date on account of applications for Federal financial assistance which were approved before such date. The Applicant recognizes and agrees that such Federal financial assistance will be extended in reliance on the representations and agreements made in this assurance, and that the United States shall have the right to seek judicial enforcement of this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Applicant, its successors, transferees, and assignees, and the person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Applicant.

Dated ———

Authorized Organizational Representative

(Grantee's Mailing Address)

Apendix VI

A. Peer Panel Scoring Form

Proposal Identification No. ———
Institution and Project Title: ———

I. Basic Requirement—

Proposal falls within guidelines?———
yes———no

If no, explain why proposal does not meet guidelines under comment section of this form.

II. Selection Criteria—

	Score 1–10	Weight factor	Score X weight factor	Comments
1. Scientific and technical quality of the idea		8		
2. Scientific and technological quality of the approach		8		
3. Relevance and importance of proposed research to solution of specific areas of inquiry		6		
4. Feasibility of attaining objectives during life of proposed research		5		
5. Adequacy of professional training or research experience of research team in essential disciplines needed to conduct the proposed research		5		
6. Adequacy of facilities, equipment, and related program support		5		
Total Score				

Summary Comments:

B. Evaluation of Proposals

The peer panel will determine whether a proposal falls within the guidelines. If the proposal does not meet the guidelines the proposal will be eliminated from competition and returned to the institution submitting the proposal. Proposals not meeting the guidelines will not be scored on selection criteria by the peer panel.

Proposals satisfactorily meeting the guidelines will be evaluated and scored by the peer panel for each criteria utilizing a scale of 1 to 10. A score of one is low for the selection criteria. A score of 10 is high for the selection criteria. A weighting factor is used for each criteria.

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APPENDIX VII

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
SCIENCE AND EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION

PROPOSAL BUDGET

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 040-R4063

ORGANIZATION AND ADDRESS	DURATION PROPOSED	SEA USE ONLY
	Months: _____	Months: _____
PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR(S)/PROJECT DIRECTOR(S)	FUNDS REQUESTED BY PROPOSER	FUNDS APPROVED BY SEA (If different)

	SEA FUNDED WORK MONTHS				
	Calendar	Academic	Summer		
A. Salaries and Wages					
1. No. of Senior Personnel					
a. ___ (Co)-PI(s)/PD(s)				$	$
b. ___ Senior Associates					
2. No. of Other Personnel (Non-Faculty)					
a. ___ Research Associates-Postdoctorate					
b. ___ Other Professionals					
c. ___ Graduate Students					
d. ___ Pre-Baccalaureate Students					
e. ___ Secretarial-Clerical					
f. ___ Technical, Shop, and Other					
Total Salaries and Wages ►					
B. Fringe Benefits (If charged as Direct Costs)					
C. **Total Salaries, Wages, and Fringe Benefits** *(A plus B)* ►					
D. Nonexpendable Equipment *(Attach supporting data. List items and dollar amounts for each item.)*					
E. Materials and Supplies					
F. Travel					
1. Domestic *(Including Canada)*					
2. Foreign *(List destination and amount for each trip.)*					
G. Publication Costs/Page Charges					
H. Computer (ADPE) Costs					
I. All Other Direct Costs *(Attach supporting data. List items and dollar amounts. Details of subcontracts, including work statements and budget, should be explained in full in proposal.)*					
J. **Total Direct Costs** *(C through I)* ►					
K. Indirect Costs *(Specify rate(s) and base(s) for on/off campus activity. Where both are involved, identify itemized costs included in on/off campus bases.)*					
L. **Total Direct and Indirect Costs** *(J plus K)* ►					
M. **Less Residual Funds** *(If applicable)* ►					
N. **TOTAL AMOUNT of this REQUEST** *(L minus M)* ►				$	$
O. **COST SHARING** ►	$				

NOTE: Signatures required only for Revised Budget *This is Revision No.* ►

NAME AND TITLE (type or print)	SIGNATURE	DATE
PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR/PROJECT DIRECTOR		
AUTHORIZED ORGANIZATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE		

Form SEA-55 (Oct 79) Previous edition is obsolete. USDA-SEA

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Reader Aids

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INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE

Questions and requests for specific information may be directed to the following numbers. General inquiries may be made by dialing 202-523-5240.

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213-688-6694	Los Angeles, Calif.
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523-5240	Photo copies of documents appearing in the Federal Register
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523-3419	
523-3517	
523-5227	Index and Finding Aids

Presidential Documents:

523-5233	Executive Orders and Proclamations
523-5235	Public Papers of the Presidents, and Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents

Public Laws:

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-5282	Statutes at Large, and Index
275-3030	Slip Law Orders (GPO)

Other Publications and Services:

523-5239	TTY for the Deaf
523-5230	U.S. Government Manual
523-3408	Automation
523-4534	Special Projects
523-3517	Privacy Act Compilation

FEDERAL REGISTER PAGES AND DATES, APRIL

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AGENCY PUBLICATION ON ASSIGNED DAYS OF THE WEEK

The following agencies have agreed to publish all documents on two assigned days of the week (Monday/Thursday or Tuesday/Friday).

This is a voluntary program. (See OFR NOTICE FR 32914, August 6, 1976.)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
DOT/SECRETARY	USDA/ASCS		DOT/SECRETARY	USDA/ASCS
DOT/COAST GUARD	USDA/APHIS		DOT/COAST GUARD	USDA/APHIS
DOT/FAA	USDA/FNS		DOT/FAA	USDA/FNS
DOT/FHWA	USDA/FSQS		DOT/FHWA	USDA/FSQS
DOT/FRA	USDA/REA		DOT/FRA	USDA/REA
DOT/NHTSA	MSPB/OPM		DOT/NHTSA	MSPB/OPM
DOT/RSPA	LABOR		DOT/RSPA	LABOR
DOT/SLSDC	HEW/FDA		DOT/SLSDC	HEW/FDA
DOT/UMTA			DOT/UMTA	
CSA			CSA	

Documents normally scheduled for publication on a day that will be a Federal holiday will be published the next work day following the holiday.

Comments on this program are still invited. Comments should be submitted to the Day-of-the-Week Program Coordinator. Office of the Federal Register, National Archives and Records Service, General Services Administration, Washington, D.C. 20408

TABLE OF EFFECTIVE DATES AND TIME PERIODS—APRIL 1980

This table is for use in computing dates certain in connection with documents which are published in the Federal Register subject to advance notice requirements or which impose time limits on public response.

Federal Agencies using this table in calculating time requirements for submissions must allow sufficient extra time for Federal Register scheduling procedures.

In computing dates certain, the day after publication counts as one. All succeeding days are counted except that when a date certain falls on a weekend or holiday, it is moved forward to the next Federal business day. (See 1 CFR 18.17)

A new table will be published in the first issue of each month.

Dates of FR publication	15 days after publication	30 days after publication	45 days after publication	60 days after publication	90 days after publication
April 1	April 16	May 1	May 16	June 2	June 30
April 2	April 17	May 2	May 19	June 2	July 1
April 3	April 18	May 5	May 19	June 2	July 2
April 4	April 21	May 5	May 19	June 3	July 3
April 7	April 22	May 7	May 22	June 6	July 7
April 8	April 23	May 8	May 23	June 9	July 7
April 9	April 24	May 9	May 27	June 9	July 8
April 10	April 25	May 12	May 27	June 9	July 9
April 11	April 28	May 12	May 27	June 10	July 10
April 14	April 29	May 14	May 29	June 13	July 14
April 15	April 30	May 15	May 30	June 16	July 14
April 16	May 1	May 16	June 2	June 16	July 15
April 17	May 2	May 19	June 2	June 16	July 16
April 18	May 5	May 19	June 2	June 17	July 17
April 21	May 6	May 21	June 5	June 20	July 21
April 22	May 7	May 22	June 6	June 23	July 21
April 23	May 8	May 23	June 9	June 23	July 22
April 24	May 9	May 27	June 9	June 23	July 23
April 25	May 12	May 27	June 9	June 24	July 24
April 28	May 13	May 28	June 12	June 27	July 28
April 29	May 14	May 29	June 13	June 30	July 28
April 30	May 15	May 30	June 16	June 30	July 29

CFR CHECKLIST; 1979/1980 ISSUANCES

This checklist, prepared by the Office of the Federal Register, is published in the first issue of each month. It is arranged in the order of CFR titles, and shows the revision date and price of the volumes of the Code of Federal Regulations issued to date for 1979/1980. New units issued during the month are announced on the back cover of the daily **Federal Register** as they become available.

For a checklist of current CFR volumes comprising a complete CFR set, see the latest issue of the LSA (List of CFR Sections Affected), which is revised monthly.

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CFR Unit (Rev. as of Jan. 1, 1980):

Title	Price
1	$4.50
4	6.50
6	3.75
9 Parts:	
1-199	7.00
13	7.00
14 Parts:	
1200-end	6.00
16 Parts:	
0-149	7.00
150-999	6.00
CFR Index	8.50

CFR Unit (Rev. as of Apr. 1, 1979):

17	12.00
18 Parts:	
0-149	6.50
150-end	7.00
19	7.50
20 Parts:	
1-399	5.50
400-499	7.00
500-end	6.50
21 Parts:	
1-99	5.50
100-199	7.50
200-299	4.00
300-499	7.00
500-599	7.00
600-1299	6.00
1300-end	4.25
1300-end—1308 Table	4.25
22	7.00
23	6.50
24 Parts:	
0-499	8.00
500-1699	7.50
1700-end	6.00
25	7.00
26 Parts:	
1 (§§ 1.0-1.169)	8.00
1 (§§ 1.170-1.300)	6.50
1 (§§ 1.301-1.400)	5.50
1 (§§ 1.401-1.500)	6.00
1 (§§ 1.501-1.640)	6.00
1 (§§ 1.641-1.850)	6.50
1 (§§ 1.851-1.1200)	7.50
1 (§§ 1.1201-end)	8.50
2-29	6.00
30-39	6.00
40-299	7.00
300-499	6.00
600-end	4.25
27	11.00

CFR Unit (Rev. as of July 1, 1979):

28	6.50
29 Parts:	
0-499	8.00
500-1899	9.00
1900-1919	11.00
1920-end	7.50
30	13.00
31	8.50
32 Parts:	
1-39 (Vol. I)	8.50
1-39 (Vol. II)	11.00
1-39 (Vol. III)	8.50
40-399	8.50
400-699	8.50
700-799	7.50
800-999	7.50
1000-end	6.00
32A	5.50
33 Parts:	
1-199	8.50
200-end	7.00
36	7.00
37	5.50
38	9.00
39	6.00
40 Parts:	
0-49	6.50
50-59	12.00
60-80	6.50
81-99	7.00
100-399	8.00
400-end	12.00
41 Chapters:	
1-2	9.00
3-6	7.50
7	4.00
8	4.00
9	7.00
10-17	6.50
18 (Pts. 1-52 SUPP.)	3.00
19-100	6.00
101-end	12.00
CFR Index	8.50

CFR Unit (Rev. as of Oct. 1, 1979):

42 Parts:	
1-399	6.00
400-end	8.00
43 Parts:	
1-999	5.50
1000-end	9.00
45 Parts:	
1-99	5.50
100-149	7.00
150-199	7.00
200-499	5.00
500-1199	7.00
1200-end	6.50
46 Parts:	
1-29	4.25
30-40	4.50
41-69	6.50
70-89	4.75
90-109	4.75
110-139	4.25
140-155	5.50
156-165	5.50
166-199	5.25
200-end	8.50
47 Parts:	
0-19	6.50
20-69	8.00
70-79	7.00
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49 Parts:	
1-99	4.75
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1000-1199	7.00
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PROJECTED 1980 CFR ISSUANCES

First and Second Quarter

This list is a reader aid being introduced in this **Federal Register** issue. It projects the Office of the Federal Register's publication plans for issuing CFR volumes during the first two quarters of 1980. A projected schedule for the third quarter (July—Titles 28 through 41) will appear in the July 1, 1980 **Federal Register** immediately after the CFR Checklist.

The list has been developed in response to numerous requests from CFR subscribers and other members of the public for a pre-publication schedule that would indicate the planned content and revision date for each CFR volume being issued by the OFR. The listing will assist persons interested in ordering specific CFR volumes, or who need to know when volumes will be revised.

Normally, CFR volumes are revised according to the following schedule:

Titles 1-16 — January 1
Titles 17-27 — April 1
Titles 28-41 — July 1
Titles 42-50 — October 1

With the exception of Title 11—Federal Elections, whose revision date has been postponed until April 1, 1980, in order to include major revisions published in March, all other CFR volumes are adhering to the regular schedule dates.

With two other exceptions, all volumes are completely revised and supersede any previous edition. The exceptions are Title 7 (Parts 2800-2851) and Title 21 (Parts 1300-end—1308 Table). There have been no further amendments published during the revision period and, therefore, a cover only will be issued for those volumes indicating that the last revised editions published January 1, 1978 and April 1, 1979, respectively, should be retained.

Since these are projected issuances, pricing information is not available at this time on all volumes. Individual announcements of the actual release of CFR volumes will continue to be printed in the **Federal Register** and will provide the price and ordering information. The monthly CFR Checklist and the Annual Cumulative LSA will continue to provide a cumulative list of CFR volumes actually printed.

Titles to be revised as of January 1, 1980, unless otherwise noted:

Title

1-2
3 Compilation
4
5
6
7 Parts:
0-52
53-209
210-299
300-399
400-699
700-899
900-944
945-960
981-999
1000-1059
1060-1119
1120-1499
1500-1899
1900-2799
2800-2851 (Cover only)
2852
2853-end
8
9 Parts:
1-99
200-end
10 Parts:
0-199
200-499
500-end
11 (Revised as of April 1, 1980)
12 Parts:
1-199
200-299
300-end
13
14 Parts:
1-59
60-199
200-1199
1200-end
15
16 Parts:
0-149
150-999
1000-end
CFR Index

Titles to be revised as of April 1, 1980:

Title

17 Parts:
0-239
240-end
18 Parts:
1-149
150-end
19
20 Parts:
1-399
400-499
500-end
21 Parts:
1-99
100-169
170-199
200-299
300-499
500-599
600-799
800-1299
1300-end
1308 Table (Cover only)
22
23
24 Parts:
0-499
500-1699
1700-end
25
26 Parts:
1 (§§ 1.0-1.169)
1 (§§ 1.170-1.300)
1 (§§ 1.301-1.400)
1 (§§ 1.401-1.500)
1 (§§ 1.501-1.640)
1 (§§ 1.641-1.850)
1 (§§ 1.851-1.1200)
1 (§§ 1.1201-end)
2-29
30-39
40-299
300-499
500-599
600-end
27 Parts:
1-199
200-end

AGENCY ABBREVIATIONS
Used in Highlights and Reminders

(This List Will Be Published Monthly in First Issue of Month.)

USDA Agriculture Department

AMS Agricultural Marketing Service
APHIS Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
ASCS Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service
CCC Commodity Credit Corporation
CEA Commodity Exchange Authority
EMS Export Marketing Service
EOA Energy Office, Agriculture Department
EQOA Environmental Quality Office, Agriculture Department
ESCS Economics, Statistics, and Cooperatives Service
FmHA Farmers Home Administration
FAS Foreign Agricultural Service
FCIC Federal Crop Insurance Corporation
FGIS Federal Grain Inspection Service
FNS Food and Nutrition Service
FS Forest Service
FSQS Food Safety and Quality Service
RDS Rural Development Service
REA Rural Electrification Administration
RTB Rural Telephone Bank
SCS Soil Conservation Service
SEA Science and Education Administration
TOA Transportation Office, Agriculture Department

COMMERCE Commerce Department

BEA Bureau of Economic Analysis
Census Census Bureau
EDA Economic Development Administration
FSPSO Federal Statistical Policy and Standards Office
FTZB Foreign-Trade Zones Board
ITA International Trade Administration
MA Maritime Administration
MBDA Minority Business Development Agency
NBS National Bureau of Standards
NOAA National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NSA National Shipping Authority
NTIA National Telecommunications and Information Administration
NTIS National Technical Information Service
PTO Patent and Trademark Office
USTS United States Travel Service

DOD Defense Department

AF Air Force Department
Army Army Department
DCAA Defense Contract Audit Agency
DCPA Defense Civil Preparedness Agency
DIA Defense Intelligence Agency
DIS Defense Investigative Service
DLA Defense Logistics Agency
DMA Defense Mapping Agency
DNA Defense Nuclear Agency
EC Engineers Corps
Navy Navy Department

DOE Energy Department

APA Alaska Power Administration
BPA Bonneville Power Administration
EIA Energy Information Administration
ERA Economic Regulatory Administration
ERO Energy Research Office
ETO Energy Technology Office
FERC Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
OHADOE Hearings and Appeals Office, Energy Department
SEPA Southeastern Power Administration
SOLAR Conservation and Solar Energy Office
SWPA Southwestern Power Administration
WAPA Western Area Power Administration

HEW Health, Education, and Welfare Department

ADAMHA Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration
CDC Center for Disease Control
ESNC Educational Statistics National Center
FDA Food and Drug Administration
HCFA Health Care Financing Administration
HDSO Human Development Services Office
HRA Health Resources Administration
HSA Health Services Administration
MSI Museum Services Institute
NIH National Institutes of Health
NIOSH National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health
OE Office of Education
PHS Public Health Service
RSA Rehabilitation Services Administration
SSA Social Security Administration

HUD Housing and Urban Development Department

CARF Consumer Affairs and Regulatory Functions, Office of Assistant Secretary
CPD Community Planning and Development, Office of Assistant Secretary
EQO/HUD Environmental Quality Office, Housing and Urban Development Department
FHC Federal Housing Commissioner, Office of Assistant Secretary for Housing
FHEO Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, Office of Assistant Secretary
GNMA Government National Mortgage Association
ILSRO Interstate Land Sales Registration Office
NCA New Communities Administration
NCDC New Community Development Corporation
NVACP Neighborhoods Voluntary Associations and Consumer Protection, Office of Assistant Secretary

INTERIOR Interior Department

BIA Bureau of Indian Affairs
BLM Bureau of Land Management
FWS Fish and Wildlife Service
GS Geological Survey
HCRS Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service
Mines Mines Bureau
NPS National Park Service
OHA Office of Hearings and Appeals, Interior Department
SMO Surface Mining Office
WPRS Water and Power Resource Service

JUSTICE Justice Department

DEA Drug Enforcement Administration
BJS Bureau of Justice Statistics
INS Immigration and Naturalization Service
LEAA Law Enforcement Assistance Administration
NIC National Institute of Corrections
NIJ National Institute of Justice
OJARS Justice Assistance, Research and Statistics Office
PARCOM Parole Commission

LABOR Labor Department

BLS Bureau of Labor Statistics
BRB Benefits Review Board
ESA Employment Standards Administration
ETA Employment and Training Administration
FCCPO Federal Contract Compliance Programs Office
LMSEO Labor Management Standards Enforcement Office
MSHA Mine Safety and Health Administration

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration
P&WBP Pension and Welfare Benefit Programs
W&H Wage and Hour Division

STATE State Department

AID Agency for International Development
FSGB Foreign Service Grievance Board

DOT Transportation Department

CG Coast Guard
FAA Federal Aviation Administration
FHWA Federal Highway Administration
FRA Federal Railroad Administration
MTB Materials Transportation Bureau
NHTSA National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
OHMR Office of Hazardous Materials Regulations
OPSR Office of Pipeline Safety Regulations
RSPA Research and Special Programs Administration
SLSDC Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation
UMTA Urban Mass Transportation Administration

TREASURY Treasury Department

ATF Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Bureau
Customs Customs Service
Comptroller Comptroller of the Currency
ESO Economic Stabilization Office (temporary)
FS Fiscal Service
IRS Internal Revenue Service
Mint Mint Bureau
PDB Public Debt Bureau
RSO Revenue Sharing Office
SS Secret Service

Independent Agencies

AC Aging, Federal Council
ATBCB Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board
CAB Civil Aeronautics Board
CASB Cost Accounting Standards Board
CEQ Council on Environmental Quality
CFTC Commodity Futures Trading Commission
CITA Textile Agreements Implementation Committee
CPSC Consumer Product Safety Commission
CRC Civil Rights Commission
CSA Community Services Administration
CWPS Wage and Price Stability Council
EEOC Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
EPA Environmental Protection Agency
ESC Endangered Species Committee
ESSA Endangered Species Scientific Authority
EXIMBANK Export-Import Bank of the U.S.
FCA Farm Credit Administration
FCC Federal Communications Commission
FCSC Foreign Claims Settlement Commission
FDIC Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
FEC Federal Election Commission
FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency
FEMA/USFA United States Fire Administration
FFIEC Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council
FHLBB Federal Home Loan Bank Board
FHLMC Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation
FLRA Federal Labor Relations Authority
FMC Federal Maritime Commission
FRS Federal Reserve System
FTC Federal Trade Commission
GAO General Accounting Office
GPO Government Printing Office
GSA General Services Administration
GSA/ADTS Automated Data and Telecommunications Service
GSA/FPA Federal Preparedness Agency
GSA/FPRS Federal Property Resources Service
GSA/FSS Federal Supply Service
GSA/NARS National Archives and Records Services
GSA/OFR Office of the Federal Register
GSA/PBS Public Buildings Service
ICA International Communication Agency
ICC Interstate Commerce Commission
ICP Interim Compliance Panel (Coal Mine Health and Safety)
IDCA International Development Cooperation Agency
ITC International Trade Commission
IRLG Interagency Regulatory Liaison Group
LSC Legal Services Corporation
MB Metric Board
MBDA Minority Business Development Agency
MSPB Merit System Protection Board
MWSC Minimum Wage Study Commission
NACEO National Advisory Council on Economic Opportunity
NASA National Aeronautics and Space Administration
NCCB National Consumer Cooperative Bank
NCUA National Credit Union Administration
NFAH National Foundation for the Arts and the Humanities
NLRB National Labor Relations Board
NRC Nuclear Regulatory Commission
NSF National Science Foundation
NTSB National Transportation Safety Board
OMB Office of Management and Budget
OMB/FPPO Federal Procurement Policy Office
OPIC Overseas Private Investment Corporation
OPM Office of Personnel Management
OPM/FPRAC Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee
OSTP Office of Science and Technology Policy
PADC Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation
PBGC Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation
PRC Postal Rate Commission
PS Postal Service
ROAP Reorganization Office of Assistant to President
RRB Railroad Retirement Board
SBA Small Business Administration
SEC Securities and Exchange Commission
Trade Trade Representative, Office of United States
TVA Tennessee Valley Authority
USIA United States Information Agency
VA Veterans Administration
WRC Water Resources Council

REMINDERS

The "reminders" below identify documents that appeared in issues of the **Federal Register** 15 days or more ago. Inclusion or exclusion from this list has no legal significance.

Rules Going Into Effect Today

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

17924 3-19-80 / Reserves of member banks; marginal reserve requirements

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Government National Mortgage Association—

14026 3-4-80 / List of attorneys-in-fact; update

LABOR DEPARTMENT

Employment and Training Administration—

14180 3-4-80 / Housing for agricultural workers

14185 3-4-80 / Farm Labor Contractor Registration and housing for agricultural workers; cross reference updated

Pension and Welfare Benefit Programs Office—

14029 3-4-80 / Summary plan descriptions; reporting and disclosure regulations

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

14045 3-4-80 / Construction contracts; amendments to provisions

List of Public Laws

Last Listing March 31, 1980

This is a continuing listing of public bills from the current session of Congress which have become Federal laws. The text of laws is not published in the **Federal Register** but may be ordered in individual pamphlet form (referred to as "slip laws") from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402 (telephone 202-275-3030).

S. 2222 / Pub. L. 96-217 To extend the time for commencing actions on behalf of an Indian tribe, band, or group, or on behalf of an individual Indian whose land is held in trust or restricted status. (Mar. 27, 1980; 94 Stat. 126) Price $1.00.

THE FEDERAL REGISTER: WHAT IT IS AND HOW TO USE IT

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WHY: To provide the public with access to information necessary to research Federal agency regulations which directly affect them, as part of the General Services Administration's efforts to encourage public participation in Government actions. There will be no discussion of specific agency regulations.

WASHINGTON, D.C.

WHEN: April 18; May 2, 16, and 30; at 9 a.m. (identical sessions).
WHERE: Office of the Federal Register, Room 9409, 1100 L Street NW., Washington, D.C.
RESERVATIONS: Call Mike Smith, Workshop Coordinator, 202-523-5235. Gwendolyn Henderson, Assistant Coordinator, 202-523-5234.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

WHEN: April 14, 15, and 16; at 9 a.m.
WHERE: Room 8544, Federal Building, 300 N. Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles, Calif.
RESERVATIONS: Call the Los Angeles Federal Information Center, 213-688-3800.

BOSTON, MASS.

WHEN: April 24; at 9 a.m.
WHERE: Room 2003A, John F. Kennedy Federal Bldg., Government Center, Boston, Mass. 02203.
WHEN: April 25; at 9 a.m.
WHERE: Room E226, Executive Dining Room, John F. Kennedy Federal Bldg., Government Center, Boston, Mass. 02203. (identical sessions).
RESERVATIONS: Call the Boston Federal Information Center, 617-223-7121.

NEW YORK, N.Y.

WHEN: April 28, 29, and 30; at 9 a.m. (identical sessions).
WHERE: Room 305A, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, N.Y. 10007.
RESERVATIONS: Call Dorothy Gemallo, 212-264-3514.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

WHEN: May 19 and 20; at 9 a.m.
WHERE: Room 3421, Federal Bldg., 125 S. State St., Salt Lake City, Utah.
RESERVATIONS: Call Helen Ferderber, Salt Lake City Federal Information Center, 801-524-5353.

SEATTLE, WASH.

WHEN: May 23; at 9 a.m.
WHERE: North Auditorium, Federal Bldg., 915 2nd Avenue, Seattle, Wash.
RESERVATIONS: Call the Seattle Federal Information Center, 206-442-0570.

CHICAGO, ILL.

WHEN: May 28 and 29; at 9 a.m.
WHERE: Room 204A, Dirksen Federal Bldg.
RESERVATIONS: Call Ardean Merrifield, 312-353-0339.

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CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

(Revised as of January 1, 1980)

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_____	Title 7—Agriculture (Parts 945 to 980)	$5.50	$_____
_____	Title 8—Aliens and Nationality	5.50	_____
_____	Title 10—Energy (Parts 0 to 199)	7.50	_____
_____	Title 13—Business Credit and Assistance	7.00	_____
		Total Order	$_____

[A Cumulative checklist of CFR issuances for 1979 appears in the back of the first issue of the Federal Register each month in the Reader Aids section. In addition, a checklist of current CFR volumes, comprising a complete CFR set, appears each month in the LSA (List of CFR Sections Affected).]

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